



# **THE RILEY BUGLE CALL**

**Community Action Council  
19 July 2006 10:00am  
Riley's Conference Center**

## **Welcome – Introductory Remarks**

**COL Thomas T. Smith  
Garrison Commander, Fort Riley, Kansas**

## **Presentations**

**“Thank You” Fort Riley Free Picnic**

## **Announcements**

### **Irwin Army Community Hospital (IACH)**

- In a ceremony on 7 July, IACH staff and Fort Riley welcomed our new Medical Department Activity Commander. Arriving at Fort Riley following assignment at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and deployment to Iraq.
- **School/Sport Physicals:** The next fair is scheduled for July 29. Announcement of appointments will be made when available.
- **Optometry Appointments:** Currently available for active duty dependents and retirees and their dependents. Call 230-DOCS (3627) to make an appointment.
- **Nurse Advice Line:** The Irwin Army Community Hospital's Nurse Advice Line hours changed as follows: Monday-Friday, 7:30am-7:30pm; Weekends and Federal Holidays, 9:00am-5:00pm. For advice or health information call 239-DOCS (3627) or 1-888-239-DOCS (3627), Option 2. This service, not to be confused with the Tricare Health Information Line, provides military beneficiaries with health care advice. The Advice Line is staffed by Registered Nurses, who assess symptoms and by utilizing triage guidelines that have been approved by medical staff at IACH, determine if and when you need to see a provider. If the Advice Nurse determines that you need to be seen, she will schedule the appointment for you. The Advice Nurses also provide health information regarding diseases, medical procedures, medication usage and side effects, and give care advice for managing an illness or problem at home. Questions regarding concerns during pregnancy will be directed to an Advice Nurse in the OB clinic.
- **Preventive Medicine:** A variety of services/classes are available:
  - Tobacco Cessation Classes – a series of 4 classes offered each month.
  - Selfcare Classes – offered the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month from 10:00-11:00am. Classes are also offered to units or groups upon request.
  - Child Health Assessments for CYS programs. Children must be registered in CYS programs and be at least 2 years or older.
  - Health Promotion and Wellness/Healthy Lifestyle classes offered to units upon request.
  - STD/HIV classes offered to units upon request.
  - Heat Injury (May-Aug) and Cold Injury (Oct-Feb) classes every Tuesday at 9:00am in PM conference room.
  - Classes are also available to units upon request.
  - Field Hygiene classes upon request.

- Food Handler's classes – 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 9:30am and upon request.
- For information or to enroll in a class or schedule an appointment please call Community Health Nursing at 239-7323.

### **Fort Riley Dental Activity (DENTAC)**

- **Oral Health Initiative (OHI):** The OHI Program is underway and is getting rave reviews! Dental Fitness Classification 1 is the goal of this Department of Defense funded program. The Fort Riley DENTAC and local private sector dentists have teamed up together to ensure that all the routine dental needs are taken care of for Fort Riley's Soldiers. This is a no-cost voluntary program for the Soldier but it does require a referral by the DENTAC. Qualified Soldiers may receive dental care with the same private sector dentist that their family members see or any participating dentist in local area. Note: The DENTAC must initiate all referrals otherwise the Soldier will incur the monetary responsibility for any fees. Referrals are easy. Stop by your dental clinic today to see if you qualify for the OHI Program!
- **Dental Appointments:** Deploying Soldiers: Deploying Dental Ready Soldiers is our first and foremost responsibility. We strongly encourage all deploying Soldiers to get a current dental examination and their dental appointments as soon as possible. When we have the time we can do almost anything. When it comes to dental care the "last minute" is a poor option. Furthermore, it is imperative that all deploying Soldiers tell the Appointment Desk Staff that they are deploying so that we can ensure a timely and properly sequenced dental care to meet all the Soldier's dental readiness needs.
- **Routine Dental Care:** We are providing routine dental care for all Soldiers. In most cases, dental appointments for routine procedures are available within a couple of weeks. It is best to check often as military missions and training cause many Soldiers to cancel their appointments on short notice which then makes these appointments available to others. Cleaning appointments are available in about three weeks.
- **Failed Dental Appointments** are very costly not only to the DENTAC but to Soldier/Unit Readiness! Please call to cancel or reschedule your dental appointment as soon as you determine that you cannot make your scheduled appointment. This will allow us to give that appointment time to another Soldier. This will reduce our operating costs (think tax dollars) and allow us to take care of more Soldiers. Your dental clinic phone number is listed below.
- **Commitment:** We are committed to provide the Soldiers of Fort Riley a quality dental health care experience. We will do all that is humanely possible to take care of Soldiers dental needs. Don't wait for the last minute. Be proactive and help us help you by making an appointment with your dentist today.
- **Hours:**

<u>Dental Clinic Info</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Hours</u>
Dental Clinic #1 (Hospital)	239-7955	8:00am-5:00pm
Dental Clinic #3 (Custer Hill)	239-4261	8:00am-5:00pm
Dental Clinic #4 (Whitside DC)	239-4174	8:00am-5:00pm
- **Dental Sick Call:** 8:00-10:00am (after 10:00am please call or be prepared to wait a while) After hours, weekend or Holiday Dental Emergency: Report to the IACH Emergency Room
- **Red Cross Volunteers:** Red Cross Volunteer Dental Assistant Training Program: Our next Red Cross Volunteer Dental Assistant Training Class is scheduled for October 2006. If you are interested, please contact the American Red Cross Office at 239-1887 to get more information and to get your volunteer packet started. We are always looking for Red Cross Volunteers to help out in other areas too and they can start anytime!

### **Directorate of Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (DMWR)**

#### **Business Operations**

- **Custer Hill Golf Course - Bldg. 5202 Normandy (785) 784 -6000**
  - **Hours of Operation:** Monday: Closed – Tuesday-Sunday: 8:00am-6:00pm or dusk. Please call ahead to ensure openings.
- **Riley's Convention Center, 446 Seitz Drive, (785-784-1000) or 239-0513**

- **Custer Hill Lanes Bldg. 7485 Normandy (785) 239-4366**
  - **Hours of Operation:** Sunday: 4:00pm-Close - Monday: Closed - Tuesday – Friday: 11:00am-Close - Saturday: 12:00pm-Close
- **Rally Point Bldg. 2600 (785)239-5434**
  - **Hours of Operation:** Monday & Tuesday: Closed; Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 5:00pm-Close; Saturday: 8pm-Close; Sunday: Closed (Except during Pay-Per-View Events)
  - **WWE Pay-Per-View Event** - July 23 at 7:00pm – The Great American Bash from the Conseco Field House in Indianapolis, IN.
  - **Wednesday Night Wing Nights** -20¢ Wing Night 5:00-9:00pm
  - **Friday Family Nights** - Buffet 5:00-8:00pm and a movie for children.
- **Arts & Crafts Center Bldg. 6918 (785) 239-9205**
  - Open shop activities hours of operation:
    - Monday and Tuesday 1:00-8:30pm
    - Wednesday 9:00am-4:30pm
    - Saturday and Sunday 9:00am-4:30pm
    - Closed Thursday and Fridays and most holidays.
  - **Scrap bookers** Call and get on the e-mail list of what's coming up, we are looking at having a crop night, what night is best for you? Thursday or Friday? Let us know. 239-9205
  - **Quilters!!** Call the Arts & Crafts Center and get on an e-mail list of what new! We want to have a Saturday class stop by and see the project!
  - **Professional Matting & Framing:** Our shop has over 500 frame molding choices and only the highest quality conservation, preservation matts for your valuable pieces. Stop in and get a free estimate.
  - **Imprint Shop:** We offer computerized engraving and sublimation printing for plaques and mug imaging. Units and group discounts given to our military customers
  - **Laser Engraver:** The **new** engraver is able to cut into wood, plastic, glass and mirror. Stop in, take a look at our samples and see what we can do!
- **Automotive Skills Center Bldg. 7753 (785) 239-9764/4028**

**Hours of Operations:**  
**Wednesday – Friday 1:00-9:00pm**  
**Saturday - Sunday 9:00am-5:00pm**

  - The Automotive Skill Center professional staff mechanics will service your AC at a fraction of the cost compared to downtown dealer and repair shops.
  - Rebuild your engine. The engine rebuild shop has a new hot tank that will clean your manifold, heads and block with-in thirty minutes
  - Free twenty-five-point automotive vehicle check for family members of deployed soldiers. Must have verification of soldier or unit deployment, ID card and vehicle registration or title.
  - While the soldiers are deployed, why not learn more about the vehicle you are driving. Take advantage of the free basic automotive repair class! The class is scheduled every Thursday from 6:00-7:00pm. Basic automotive repair is held on the first and third Thursday of each month, and advance automotive repair is held on the second and forth Thursday of each month. Call for more details.
  - **Our facility offers:**
    - Open bays with a complete tool set and roll-around bench for customer use.
    - 15-Suspension lifts bays
    - 1-12,000lb lift bay for older vehicles that supports the vehicle's tires.
    - Trained mechanics available for assistance and advice
    - Complete tool room.
    - Auto parts store located in facility
    - Mitchell on-demand technical information available on DVD
    - Body shop providing expert advice and instructions

- Paint booth with drive through capability
  - State of the art engine rebuild and Machine shop
  - 8-bay car wash with power washers and vacuum cleaners
  - Inline fuel filter removal Bay
- **Automotive Car Wash Bldg. 7756, Fort Riley, Kansas** next door to the Automotive Skills Center
  - **Open 24-7**
  - 8 Bay Car Wash, Wax and Drying area
  - Provides the best value in the area
- **Outdoor Recreation Center (ODR), Bldg. 9011 (785)239-2363/6368**
  - **Hours of Operation:** Tuesday through Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm; Saturday: 8:00am-4:00pm; Sunday through Monday: Closed
  - **RV Lot** - Effective 1 Jun 06 the Outdoor Recreation Center is taking over the RV Lot from Housing. Prior to this date, patrons having recreational vehicles and boats in this lot need to register them at ODR. A monthly fee for vehicles up to 27 feet is \$16.00 and a vehicle over 27 feet is \$32. Patrons will pay fees in six (6) month increments. There are no refunds for partial monthly user fees. Once the lot is filled we will be putting names on a waiting list. Priority assignment will begin with the Active Duty in housing and single soldiers in the barracks.
  - **Canoe Trips** - Summer is just around the corner. Join us in a canoe trip down the Kansas River and float 10.3 miles from the Highway 24 Bridge (3/4 mile on the Blue River) to St. George. Cost is \$15 per person for any age. Cost includes canoe, paddles, life vest and transportation to and from the Outdoor Recreation Center. Dates for the canoe trips are: July 29<sup>th</sup>, August 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. We leave ODR at 9:00am and will return around 4:00pm (depends on the level of the water). Registration ends close of business on Friday the day before the trip. Bring your lunch and water to take with so you can stop along the way and eat lunch if you like.
- **Information, Ticketing & Registration (ITR) Bldg 6918 Trooper Drive 239-5614/4415 New Operational Hours: Monday thru Friday 10:00am-6:00pm and Saturdays 9:00am-1:00pm. Closed Sundays and holidays.**
  - **DMWR Lemon Lot** – Located at Eyster Pool, Bldg 6940, North Side Parking Lot. Registration Fee (active military ID card holders only) of \$15.00 is payable at ITR and is good for 30 days. Vehicles not registered are subject to tow at owner's expense.
  - Check out our Department of Army Leisure Travel Websites for Great Travel Deals at [www.offdutytravel.com](http://www.offdutytravel.com) and [www.riley.army.mil](http://www.riley.army.mil).
  - **Worlds of Fun & Oceans of Fun, Kansas City** - The American Dream become the American Scream at Worlds of Fun for thrill seekers grasped in the clutches of the new Patriot roller coaster. In spring 2006, guests at Worlds of Fun amusement park in Kansas City, Mo, challenge **Patriot**, the longest, tallest, and fastest full-circuit inverted roller coaster in the region. At Oceans of Fun you can get drenched on 18 water slides, relax in a tubing river or giant wave pool. Military discounts available through ITR.
  - **DMWR Rental Coach Bus** – The 21 passenger bus is available for Command & unit official functions, Hail & Farewells, Family Readiness groups, Military Retiree and Ft Riley private organizations. Call ITR for cost and availability.
  - **J.C. Generals Baseball** – Tickets for Collegiate Baseball at the historic Rathert Stadium in Junction City is now available.
  - **FAX Service is available through ITR. Cost is \$1.00 per page.**
- **Fort Riley Library Bldg. 5306 239-5303**
  - Library hours are 11:00am to 6:00pm Tuesday - Saturday, and noon to 5:00pm on Sunday. The library is always closed on Mondays. For more information, call 239-5305.
  - The Ft. Riley Library Summer Reading Program finished with a special appearance by the "Animal Ambassadors" from the Sunset Zoo on June 26th. After the program, prizes were awarded to readers who earned twenty-five points during the program.

## **Sports**

- The **2006 Fort Riley 10-5-2 Mile Prairie Run** will be conducted on July 22<sup>nd</sup> beginning at 7:00am at King Field House, Bldg. 202. The cost is \$15 which does not guarantee a T-shirt. There will be a 10 mile, 5 mile and 2 mile race. Each race is open to the Fort Riley military community as well as the general public. The 2 mile race is not a "fun run". Dogs, strollers, baby joggers, skateboards, roller skates, motorized vehicles, bicycles and headsets are not allowed on the course. Awards will be given to the top three finishers in each gender and age category for each race. Volunteers are needed to help with the race. Call 239-2172/3724 for more information or to volunteer.

#### **Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) (785) 239-8147**

- For more information about BOSS contact the BOSS President at 239-8147.

#### **Soldier and Family Support Center (SFSC) (785) 239-9435**

- **Relocation**
  - Newcomers' Orientation – 8:30am-12:00pm: July 28, August 11 and 25
  - PCS Briefings – 1:30-3:00pm:
    - Overseas – July 19
    - Stateside – July 26
    - Korea – August 2
    - Germany – August 9
    - Overseas – August 16
    - Stateside – August 23
- **Sponsorship Training for Soldiers:** A relocation specialist conducts a monthly sponsorship training class designed to train personnel how to be sponsors, where to find information being sent to incoming personnel, and the scope of how to be an effective sponsor. Units or Individuals can request Sponsorship Training in a classroom setting or take the training on-line. Please review this web link for details: <http://www.riley.army.mil/view/article.asp?id=369-2002-05-09-59955-2>.
- **Family Readiness Group Training** - Classes are offered monthly. Registration is required. Free Childcare is available; parents must bring shot records. Family Readiness Group Basic is scheduled for 20 July - 6:00-8:00pm. Point of Contact Class is scheduled for 3 August - 9:30-11:30am. To register or for more information, please call the Soldier and Family Support Center at (785) 239-9435.
  - **Spouse Activity Day Events - Cancelled**
- **Soldier & Family Life Consultants** - Fort Riley now has Soldier & Family Life Consultants. Call: 785-230-1785 / 785-249-4281 / 785-213-1627. Messages may also be left with first name and numbers with Army Community Service staff if you wish at 785-239-9435, at Bldg. 7264, or by email at [site2665@riley.army.mil](mailto:site2665@riley.army.mil).
- **Family Advocacy Program (FAP)** Active Parenting Program comes to Fort Riley-Junction City Parenting Program for Parents with Teens Mondays 11September- 23 October, 6:00-8:00pm Armed Services YMCA, 111 E 16<sup>th</sup> Street Junction City, Free Registration. Enroll today Family Advocacy Program 239-9435
- **Family Advocacy Program (FAP) / Victim Advocate Program –**
  - The Fort Riley Family Advocacy Program Victim Advocate Program offers free, 24 hours services to adult victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Victim Advocates provide support services, crisis intervention and information and referrals. For 24 hour Victim Advocate Response services please contact (785)307-1373. If you have questions related to domestic violence and/or sexual assault during duty hours please contact the Victim Advocate Program at (785)239-9435.
  - On 22 Apr 2006 the Department of Defense implemented confidential restricted reporting for adult victims of domestic violence. To provide a restricted report, a domestic violence victim, who is eligible to receive military medical treatment, must report to a 1. Victim Advocate 2. Victim Advocate Supervisor (the Fort Riley Family Advocacy Program Manager) or 3. Health Care Provider (to include Family Advocacy Program Clinical Social Workers). This option will allow victims to receive supportive services without initiating the

investigative process. For further information regarding this policy or to schedule a briefing please contact the Victim Advocate Program at (785)239-9435.

- **Financial Services**

- AER provides financial assistance to soldier at times of unexpected emergency. Applications may be obtained from your battalion Command Financial NCO, or the AER Office (239-9435). During non duty hours assistance is available for emergency travel by calling the case management office (toll free) at 1-877-272-7337.
- ACS Financial Readiness section will conduct Checkbook Management and Budget Development skills training 26 July and 2,9,16, 23, and 30 August at Army Community Service. Space is limited to 30 attendees and registration is encouraged at 239-9435/5032.
- Financial planning for PCS classes will be conducted on 25 July, 8 and 25 August. Registration is required by calling 239-9435/5032. The class is mandatory for soldiers relocating from their first permanent duty station but it is available to all soldiers and family members.
- DOD Financial Training for first term soldiers will be conducted at ACS on 1 and 15 August. This class is mandatory for all first term soldiers at their first permanent duty station. Registration is required at 239-9435/5032 or by contacting your battalion Command Financial NCO.
- Individual consumer education, financial planning and debt counseling appointment are available for all soldiers and family members at Army Community Service. Call 239-9435 for more information or an appointment.

#### **Child and Youth Services (CYS) (785) 239-4920**

- **The CYS Administrative Bldg (Central Registration, CYS Admin offices, SKIES programs, FCC Office) will be re-locating due to renovations from Bldg. 6620 to Bldg. 7434 (Parker St.), across from the Bowling Alley.**
- **CYS Central Enrollment Registry (CER), Bldg. 6620 on Normandy Drive**
  - Must be registered in CYS to participate in all CYS programs
  - Hours of Operation: Monday–Friday, 8:30am-5:30pm
  - Annual registration fee is \$18 per child, or \$40 per family. CYS registration may be transferred to a new duty station upon PCS. Contact CER at 239-5077/4847 for information, or to make an appointment to enroll in CYS
- **Child & Youth Services Instructional Classes: SKIES Unlimited offerings. Contact the Central Enrollment Registry (CER) officer at 239-4723/4847/9478 for additional information and to make appointments to register.**
  - **Piano and Voice Lessons:** Lessons for children 5-18 years of age are conducted year round at the Teen Center, Bldg. 5800, on Tuesday-Friday from 4:00–8:00pm for half-hour individual lessons. Cost is \$58 per month. Ends 31 July
  - **Creative Dance and Ballet** - A Creative Dance class is conducted Wednesday evening at the Teen Center, Bldg. 5800. 6:00-6:45pm evenings at the Teen Center. The cost is \$35 per month, with an early bird discount of \$5 when payment is made prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month. Call 239-4847 to make an appointment to register.
  - Wednesday Creative Dance 6:00-6:45pm ages 5-7
  - To enroll, children **must be** registered with CYS and must have a current sports physical (less than one year old) at the time of registration
  - **Home Alone Training Course** is for children ages 10 and up and is scheduled for the third **Saturday** of every month.
    - 21 July, 3:30-5:30pm, Home Alone Training, Bldg. 5800. Cost is \$10 if youth are not registered with CER. If students wish to keep the books there is an additional \$10 charge per book. Call CER at 239-5077/4847 for more information.
    - Parents are encouraged to attend the last 30 minutes of the class. Contact CER at 239-5077/4847/9478 to reserve your spot.

- **Intro to Guitar** is for youth ages 6-18 and their parents that are eligible for services. Classes meet Wednesday evenings at 6:00pm & 6:30pm for 6-10 year olds & 7:00pm & 7:30pm for 11-18 year olds and cost \$30. Classes held at School Age Services Bldg. 5810. A few guitars are still available for rent for an additional monthly fee of \$10.
- **Guitar II and Advanced Guitar Lessons** is for youth age 6-18 and their parents that are eligible for services. Classes meet Tuesday evenings at 6:00pm & 6:30pm. For 6-10 year olds & 7:00pm & 7:30pm for 11-18 year olds and cost \$30. Classes held at School Age Services Bldg. 5810.
- **Gymnastics Summer Camp** youth ages 3 to 18. Classes will meet Monday through Friday: July 31- August 4, August 7- August 11 - at the Middle School Teen Center Bldg 5800.
  - 10:00-10:55am for 3 to 5 year olds, cost \$45
  - 11:00-11:55am for 6-8 year olds, cost \$45
  - 12:00-1:30pm for 9-18 and team cost \$55
- **Daytime Dance Dynamo** Monday (from 4:00-4:45pm for 5-7 year olds ) and Wednesday (2:00-2:30pm, 2:30-3:00pm and 3:00-3:30pm for 3-4 year olds) afternoons at the Middle School Teen Center Bldg 5800. Classes are \$35 monthly
- **Cheerleading & Dance**, ages 6-10, \$35/mo. - Location: School Age Services Bldg. 5810 Thursdays 6:00-7:00pm, beginning July 6<sup>th</sup>- ongoing (registration on going)
- **Art Workshops: 11:30am-1:00pm, Bring Sack Lunch**
  - August 1-4 Coil Basket and Pen & Ink
  - Ages 5-10 - Costs \$35 per session - Youth Center, Bldg. 5800
- **American Red Cross Babysitter's Course:** 21 July Ages 11-18 years old
  - Costs \$10
  - Registration with Child & Youth Services. Minimum enrollment of 4
  - Youth Center, Bldg. 5800
- **Instructors Needed:** New classes will be advertised as instructors become available. If you have a skill that you would like to teach through the Instructional programs at CYS, call 239-4723.
- **Outreach Services Classes**
  - Parent Advisory Council (PAC) meets the first **Thursday** of each month from 4:00-5:00pm in the Training Room at Bldg. 6620. All parents are encouraged to attend. Agenda includes program updates and parent information. Patrons receive a 10% discount on their childcare fee after attending three meetings. 3 August 2006
  - **Short Term Alternative Child Care (STACC).** The Outreach Services program has approved STACC sites at Riley's and Soldier and Family Support Center. Units, organizations, and other groups holding meetings or other functions at either of these locations may contract with Outreach Services to provide childcare. Contracts must be received at least 3 weeks prior to the event and parents must be attending the function and remain on site.
  - **Volunteer Child Care in a Unit Setting (VCCUS).** This program allows groups to provide care for a "sister" group of their choosing. Each group has their own volunteers who are trained by CYS at a one time, four-hour training session. Upon completion of the training, they may then provide care for each other as long as the parents remain in the same facility. CYS will provide supplies if necessary and ensure the environment is safe. This is a wonderful program from which our community would benefit. Please call 239-4723 for more information. Additional details apply.
- **Child Development Center (CDC)** is accredited by the National Association for the Education for Young Children (NAEYC).
  - Hours of Operation are 6:00am-6:00pm
  - Serves children ages six weeks to Kindergarten
  - Provides full-day, part-day preschool, and hourly care is available.
  - 22 July, 12 and 26 August 10:00am-1:00pm, **free hourly care** is available at the CDC for children of deployed soldiers. Children ages six weeks through Kindergarten are eligible

for the free care at the CDC. Lunch will be served to the children at 11:30am. Children must be registered with CYS to participate in this program, and parents must make a reservation by noon on Thursday prior to the Saturday opening. This program is subject to cancellation if there are not enough reservations.

- **Family Child Care (FCC) Program** consists of care offered in on-post quarters by a military family member meeting FCC certification requirements. Homes are inspected and monitored regularly.
  - FCC homes provide care between the hours of 6:00am-6:00pm, and may provide extended and overnight care in the evenings and on weekends for duty related needs. FCC providers offer flexible hours that may better meet the needs of those requiring childcare for extended periods, as well as childcare for shift workers.
  - Serves children four weeks to 12 years of age
  - Provides full day, part day, and hourly care available
  - Registration in FCC is through the CYS Central Registration office.
- **Family Child Care Home Providers:** Adults wanting to become FCC providers are invited to attend an FCC informational briefing. The orientation/informational briefing is scheduled for the second Thursday of each month from 1:30-3:00pm. **The FCC offices will temporarily relocate to Bldg. 7434 Parker Street** by June 16, 2006. Call 239-4313, for more information. Recruitment for FCC Providers for all ages, Mildly Ill homes and Back Up Care homes. Next orientation is planned for: 13 July 1:30-3:00pm at Bldg. 7434 Parker Street. Call 239-4313 for more information.
- **School Age Services (SAS):** This elementary school age program is nationally accredited by the National After School Association (NAA).
  - SAS is located in Bldg. 5810
  - Hours of Operation is Monday-Friday, 6:00am-6:00pm
  - Provides Before and After School programs for 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades
  - Provides a Kindergarten program
  - Transportation is provided to and from on-post schools. Transportation is provided for Hourly Care children. Parents must make reservations by noon the day prior, at which time SAS will notify the schools. Breakfast is served until 8:00am
- **Open Recreation (hourly care)**
  - Available for children in Kindergarten.
  - Available Monday-Friday, 3:30–6:00pm on school days, 1:30–6:00pm on early release days, and 6:00am–6:00pm on no school days for 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders.
  - Reservations are required. Call 239-9220 for more information. 22 July, 12 and 26 August 10:00am-1:00pm, **Free hourly care** is available at SAS, Bldg. 5810, for children of deployed soldiers (and those that have returned within the last three months). Children who are in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade may receive free care at SAS. Lunch will be served at 11:30am. Children must be registered with CYS to participate in this program. Reservations are required by noon each Thursday prior to the Saturday opening. This program is subject to cancellation if there are not enough reservations.
- **SAS Summer Camp:** Hours 6:00am-6:00pm Monday-Friday, for youth 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade (must be entering 1<sup>st</sup> grade in Aug.) Weekly fees are based on total family income. Activities include regular trips, swimming, bowling, skating, creative arts, sports and fitness and computer lab activities. Pick up an activity schedule at SAS. Register for this program at CER unless you are already enrolled in SAS. **End of Summer Bar-B-Q** Aug. 11<sup>th</sup> (1130-1300) Parents of children in the program invited. **Summer camp ends August 11<sup>th</sup>. School starts August 15<sup>th</sup> (half day)**

#### **Youth Services**

- **Youth Center:** The Fort Riley Youth Center, Bldg. 5800, is located on the corner of Thomas and Longstreet, call 239-9222.
- **Middle School/Teen Camp:** 1:00-6:00pm Monday-Friday until school begins. Programs are free with the exception of occasional trip fees. Programs include swimming, bowling, skating, sports, trips, creative arts, leadership programs and other activities of interest to youth. Pick up an activity schedule at the Youth Center. **Summer Camp ends August 11.**



- **Before Camp Care:** 6:00am-1:00pm Monday-Friday for MST youth with working parents. Program fees are weekly based on total family income
- **Evening/Weekend Hours:** the Youth Center is open until 8:00pm Monday-Thursday, 11:00pm on Friday, and 2:00-11:00pm on Saturday. Stop by to pick up an activity schedule of dances and other planned recreation activities.
- **Youth Sponsorship Program:** For youth new to Fort Riley, and youth moving to a new installation from Fort Riley. We are looking for youth in Grades 6-12 to become youth sponsors. Parental permission and volunteer registration forms are required to register. Sponsors will earn valuable volunteer hours and be invited to participate in special newcomer-sponsor activities. To become a Youth Sponsor you will need to fill out a Youth Sponsor Application and a Youth Sponsor Agreement Form, plus attend youth sponsorship training. If you are a newcomer and would like to request a sponsor, you will need to fill out a Youth Sponsorship questionnaire. All of these forms can be picked up at the Teen Center, Bldg. 5800, the Soldier and Family Support Center, Bldg. 7264, or Child & Youth Services, Central Registration Office, Bldg. 6620. For more information, please feel free to call 239-9222.

### **Youth Sports**

- **Family Fitness Nights** - 28 July and 25 August. Free for middle school and teens with their parents registered with CYS. Come exercise together in a high energy environment.
- **Youth Sports Camps registration**
  - Soccer camp, 31 July – 4 August, \$25 (Registration May 8-July 21)- Kindergarten- 8<sup>th</sup> grade
  - Volleyball camp, 7-11 August, \$25 (Registration May 8-July 28) -5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade
  - Current CYS enrollment and sports physical required prior to camp registration.
  - Fall Soccer Registration begins on 7 August, and continues until 25 August. This program is for children entering Kindergarten thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade. The cost is \$30.00, and a current CYS enrollment and sports physical are required. Practices will begin in early September, and games will start on 23 September.
  - Volleyball Registration begins 21 August, and continues until 1 September. This program is for children entering 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grades. A current CYS enrollment and sports physical are required. Practices will begin in mid September, and games will start in late September.
  - Call 239-9223/9224 for additional information on youth sports programs. We need volunteer coaches.

**School Liaison Officer - 239-9539:** **School Liaison Services ACCESS, USD 475 Junction City-Geary County Schools:** USD 475 (Geary County-Junction City, Fort Riley, Milford, and Grandview Plaza) website:<http://www.usd475.org/> Tel: 785-717-4000

**USD 383 Manhattan-Ogden Schools:** USD 383 (Manhattan-Ogden) website: <http://www.usd383.org/> Tel: 785-587-2000

### **Parent to Parent Program**

- The Military Child Education Coalition would like to introduce a brand-new, innovative program sponsored by the U.S. Army designed to empower parents to be their child's best advocate. The new **Parent to Parent** program offers a variety of quick, customized workshops designed to give parents the skills and tools necessary to make smooth transitions, get organized, and help prepare their children for academic success. Workshops can be scheduled for any time of day at any location. The following topics are just the first to be offered:
  - Getting Ready for School
  - Getting Organized with Portfolios
  - Positive Home/School Relationships
  - Staying Involved with the Deployed Spouse
  - The Road to Literacy
  - Effective Parent/Teacher Conferences
  - Getting the Most Out of Homework
  - Charting Your Course (for middle school and high school parents)

- Please call 226-9164 to schedule a workshop.

### **Directorate of Education**

- One of our seven colleges-Barton County Community College, will be holding an Enrollment & Advising Day on **August 10th from 9:00am-3:00pm** in Bldg. 7604 on Custer Hill. New and currently enrolled soldiers and family members will have the opportunity to enroll in upcoming classes and meet the faculty members. The entire Fort Riley community is invited to attend.
- For more information, please contact Barton County Community College at 239-0404.

### **Installation Chapel Office**

- **3 August, the Installation Chaplain's Office will host a luncheon at the Morris Hill Chapel honoring Chaplain (MG-R) Orris Kelly on the occasion of his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.** Call 239-3359 for additional information.
- **Fort Riley Vacation Bible School has been scheduled** for August 8-11, 2006, 9:00am-12:00pm, Morris Hill Chapel. Registrations need to be in by 30 July 2006. For those interested in becoming one of the adult or senior high school volunteers or for more information, please contact 239-0979 or 239-4815. Watch for additional updates.
- **18-19 August, Promise Keepers, Kemper Arena, Kansas City.** If interested in attending this event, contact 239-0979 for additional information
- **9-11 Ceremony scheduled for 11 September 2006, 4:00pm, Ware Parade Filed.**
- **Pre-Marital Classes Sponsored by the Family Life Chaplain** are held the first Wednesday of every month from 3:00-5:30pm at the Family Life Ministries Center. These classes are required before a chapel wedding can be performed. Please call 239-3436 for additional information and to register for the class.
- **Child Care Providers Needed** - The Installation Chaplain's Office is looking for qualified individuals to provide child care for various Chapel sponsored events. Qualifications: must be at least 18 yrs old, CPR certified (will train) and must pass a state background check (free). Pay is good and flexible hours available. Point of contact: (785) 239-4814.
- **Club Beyond (CB), call 239-0979 for current information** regarding upcoming activities. Usually, CB (grades 9-12) meets Sundays in the basement of St. Mary's Chapel from 6:00-7:30pm. CBJV (grades 6-8), Wednesdays, at the Teen Center from 6:00-7:30pm.
- **Wounded Soldiers Outreach Support Group** - Wounded Soldiers Outreach and Support Group (WSOS) meets monthly to provide wounded Soldiers and family members an opportunity to meet one another. The desire is that through this informal setting, helpful relationships will develop to assist in the healing process. WSOS meets the first Tuesday of every month at Riley's Conference Center from 6:00-8:00pm. For more information, please call (785) 239-4375 or (785) 375-2480.

### **Staff Judge Advocate**

- **PCS Claims Reminders**
- Preserve evidence of your belongings through videotape and/or still photos.
- Save receipts for big ticket items.
- Review the inventories prepared in the move – and upon arrival at your destination check off items as they come off the truck so that missing items are noted at delivery.
- You have 70 days to file DD Form 1840 at your destination claims office listing all items damaged or missing. Failure to do so will probably jeopardize your right to claim the item – unless the damage or missing item was noted at delivery.
- You then have 2 years (from date of delivery) to perfect (file) your claim with all the estimates.
- Only military or spouse with a power of attorney can file a personnel claim.

### **Plans, Analysis, & Integration Office (PAI)**

- Use ICE to help us serve you better. ICE (Interactive Customer Evaluation) is a web based customer feedback system. You can provide an evaluation of more than 170 services on Fort Riley or communicate directly with the manager of a service via ICE.

### **Provost Marshal Office (PMO)**

- **Community Policing**
  - National Night Out Community Event is on August 1, 2006 from 6:00-10:00pm. The event will be held at Calvary Parade Field, which is adjacent to PMO Bldg. 221. There will be static displays and demonstrations from 6:00-7:30pm. At 7:30pm there will be an outdoor movie shown which will be **The Chronicles of Narnia** and at approx 9:30pm the Outdoor National Night Out walk will begin. The displays will remain set up during the movie and there will be some free food while supplies last. The National Night Out Walk will consist of neighbors walking in the dark with glow sticks and flashlights through the housing area escorted by the Military Police. For more information and participation please contact the Civil Liaison office at 239-2226.
  - Helmet Safety; All personnel will wear an approved helmet that meets or exceeds the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) or Snell Memorial Foundation Safety Standard while riding a bicycle or non-motorized scooter, or using any kind of wheeled skates on Fort Riley.

### **Picerne Housing**

- Family Services: Our Family Services Program Manager, Lisa Mathews, will coordinate and develop relationships with units and on and off post support agencies to promote the welfare of Fort Riley's residents. She will serve as the subject matter expert to provide residents and the Picerne staff with information on available services. Lisa will also coordinate, develop and track ADA home modifications as well as track exceptions to policy requests. For more information regarding Family Services, please call Lisa at (785) 717-2217.
- Relocation Office: As of July 1, Picerne Military Housing is now responsible for managing the on-post family wait lists. Please call our dedicated Relocation Office Staff at (785) 717-2258 to check the status of your waitlist or to be added or removed from the housing lists.
- Web site: Picerne Military Housing has launched [www.rileypicerne.com](http://www.rileypicerne.com). Residents can place work orders on line and check their status on the wait list for housing.
- **Neighborhood Offices:**
  - Coyer Manor –3011 Craig Avenue – 717-2255 FAX 717-2256
  - Ellis Heights – 44864-1 Roosevelt – 717-2252 FAX 717-2253
  - Historic Main Post –150-B Huebner – 717-2240 FAX 717-2241
  - McClellan Place –6718-1 McClellan Loop – 717-2243 FAX 717-2244
  - Peterson Place –5157 Ewell – 717-2249 FAX 717-2250
  - Relocation Office –45 Barry Avenue – 717-2258 FAX 717-2259
  - Warner Heights - Manager: 6369 Hampton Place – 717-2246 FAX 717-2247

### **Installation Safety Office (ISO)**

**G1/Army Career and Alumni Program (ACAP)** – The Fort Riley ACAP Center is office located on Main Post in Bldg. 210, room 6. For information, please contact the ACAP Center at 785-239-2278/2248, stop by, or view our website at: <http://www.riley.army.mil/Services/Soldier/ArmyCareerAndAlumni.asp>.

### **G3/DPTMS**

- 21 July ADC(S) and Chief of Staff Retirement Ceremony
- 22 July Flint Hills Race
- 22 July Thank You Fort Riley Picnic
- 26 July Retirement Ceremony
- 28 July 1-41IN BN Dining IN
- 1 August Division Transfer of Authority

- 1 August Night Out Against Crime
- 2 August CG Address to Workforce
- 2 August 1-16in Investiture Ceremony
- 3 August 1-16IN DMOR Ball
- 4 August 116<sup>th</sup>MP Co Training Holiday
- 4 August 3/75AV Change of Command
- 4 August 1-41IN Golf Event
- 7-11 August Commander/1SG Course
- 11 August Training Holiday
- 15 August 541stCSSB Deployment Ceremony

### **Veterinary Services**

- **Registration of animals living on post** -- Animals only need to be registered once. Registration is free. If you move or change your phone number, please update your information.
- **Hours of Operation:** Monday-Friday 7:30am-3:30pm. Clinic hours are 8:30am-3:30pm on Tuesday and Thursday by appointment. Registration can be done on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
- **Stray facility hours** are 7:30am-3:30pm Monday-Friday.

### **FORSCOM Family Readiness Group Assistant Program**

- The FRG Assistant's duties directly relate to the FRG mission of fostering competent, knowledgeable, and resilient families by assisting the Commander and volunteer FRG.
- **The FORSCOM FRGA Program Team**
  - Located at Soldier & Family Support Center, Bldg 7264 or call 239-5785; or at the 1BCT HQ Bldg. 7006B, Siebert St., Custer Hill or by calling 239-9926.

### **American Red Cross**

### **Boy Scouts**

- To join, contact 238-5684 for more information.
- The Boy scouts web page is located at [Coronadoscout.org](http://Coronadoscout.org). Current scouting information can be found there.

### **Girl Scouts of Kaw Valley**

- If you are interested in being a Girl Scout leader or a Girl Scout please contact 1-800-432-0286 ext 44 or [rmckain@girlscouts.net](mailto:rmckain@girlscouts.net) . We are always looking for Adult Leaders and volunteers to help out with the Service Unit Team Meetings.

### **Armed Services YMCA (ASYMCA)**

- Childcare Programs - Take advantage of our childcare programs. While your children are enjoying there day with fun filled learning activities and socializing with others, you are able to take time for yourself, knowing your children are safe and well cared for. Please contact the ASYMCA for more information.
- Reservations are required one week in advance for all childcare programs.
- **Mom's Monday Out** - Monday's 11:00am-3:30pm
- **Mom's Morning Out** - Tuesday 11:00am-3:00pm
- **Mid Week Break** - Wednesdays 11:00am-3:00pm
- **Parent's Days Out** - Thursdays 11:00am-3:00pm.
- **Friday Parents Day Out** - Fridays 11:00am-3:00pm
- **Friday Night Out** - Fridays 5:30-10:00pm
- **Fees** - Please provide a Dinner or, lunch and a snack for your child
- **\$7.50 1<sup>st</sup> child - \$8.25 Children under 2 - \$6.75 Per Additional child - \$7.50 Per additional children under 2**

- **Parents Work Out:** A new and exciting program that gives parents the availability to go to the gym knowing that their children are being well cared for in a safe environment.
- Monday through Friday - 8:30-10:30am Please provide a snack for your child
- \$2.50 first child -\$1.75 per additional child - \$3.25 Children under 2 - \$2.50 per additional child under 2
- **All childcare program prices are for the entire program – this is not an hourly rate**
- **Summer Camp:** All school age children welcome, sign up for classes begins May 1<sup>st</sup> 2006
  - **Kindergarten – 5th grade** - Monday and Wednesday - 11:00-3:00pm -\$20.00 Per Week
  - **July**
  - **Week 2 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Super Hero's**
  - **Week 3 24<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> Giddy Up**
  - **Week 4 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> Explore the Galaxy**
- **Dance** - We will be offering dance class every Thursday from 6:30-7:30pm for all children between the ages of 2 ½ to 13. Cost is \$25.00 per month.
- **Building Rentals**
  - The ASYMCA is available for your FRG Meetings free of charge with the availability for childcare on site for a minimal fee. Call to schedule.
  - Need a place to hold a Kid's Birthday Party, Baby Shower, Bridal Shower, Cub scouts, Girl scouts, ect... We offer our building for rentals. Cost: \$25.00 for 3 hours.
- **Car Seat Loan Program:** Geico Insurance has provided us with car seats that are available to loan for one month at no fee. The seats accommodate newborns to children up to 40 pounds.
- **Operation Wheels:** Free Transportation service for active duty military or their dependents living on Fort Riley or in Junction City. This is available for those who do not have a vehicle or for those who do not drive. We will provide 4 round-trips per month at no charge to active duty or their dependents. **The following locations are available for transportation:** Bldg 7264 – WIC and ACS; Bldg 600 – Irwin Army Community Hospital; Post Chaplain Services; Respite Care at ASYMCA; Geary Community Hospital; and Junction City Health Department
- **Appointments:** Please call 24 hours in advance at 762-4780 to schedule a pick-up.
- **For more information-** call 238-2972, email [asymca@nqks.com](mailto:asymca@nqks.com), or stop by at 111 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Junction City.

### **Thrift Shop**

- Open: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - 9:30am-2:30pm and the 1st Saturday each month - 10:00am-1:00pm
- Volunteers are always needed! For more information please call: 784-3874

### **Historical and Archaeological Society of Fort Riley (HASFR)**

- Want to add an elegant touch to your entertaining? The Custer House Side B is available to rent for parties and events. The cost is \$35 for non-HASFR members, but only \$25 for members. A \$50 cleaning deposit is required, which is returned to you after inspection. For more information contact 784-2445, or [hasfrevents@hotmail.com](mailto:hasfrevents@hotmail.com).
- Curl up with a "Ghosts of Fort Riley" book or brush up on the History of Fort Riley. These and many other HASFR souvenirs are available for purchase at the Shoppe, located at the Cavalry Museum.
- Historic Plaques: If you have recently moved into historic quarters and would like your HASFR plaque updated with your information please let us know by email. Residents who wish to purchase a photograph of their quarters and parchment listing the previous residents can place their order by email at [hasfrevents@hotmail.com](mailto:hasfrevents@hotmail.com). Cost is \$10. Place your order at least 2 weeks prior to clearing quarters. The Arts & Crafts will be more than happy to assist you with the framing.
- Our email address is: [hasfrevents@hotmail.com](mailto:hasfrevents@hotmail.com). We would love to hear your comments, suggestions and ideas for community improvement. If you are interested in joining and volunteering this year please let us know!

### **Enlisted Spouses' Club (ESC)**

- The Fort Riley Enlisted Spouse's Club will be hosting their Fall Kick Off on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> of August from 3:00-5:00pm at Wymann Park (across from Irwin Army Community Hospital. Membership is open to E-1-E-9.
- The first general membership meeting will be held on the 30<sup>th</sup> of August @ 6:30pm at the Armed Services YMCA.
- Any questions please contact 762-6401.

### **Officers' and Civilians' Spouses' Club (OCSC)**

- **What: Fort Riley Officers' and Civilians' Spouses' Club Annual Welcome Coffee**
  - When: Thursday, 17 August, 11:00am-1:00pm
  - Where: Quarters 5 Barry Avenue, Main Post Fort Riley
  - The Annual Welcome Coffee is an open house to greet and welcome spouses of Officers' and Civilians' GS-7 and above who are new to the Fort Riley area. This is a great opportunity to see what Fort Riley's OCSC is all about and get a glimpse of the upcoming year's exciting activities and charity contributions. If you are eligible to join, no matter how long you have lived in the area, come greet old friends and welcome new!
  - Please RSVP by 15 August to your Commander's spouse/coffee group leader at 785-784-8454.
  - For childcare information and reservations please call 785-784-4298.

### **The Shoppe**

- The Shoppe is now **Open** 6 days a week! The Shoppe is now open Monday-Friday 10:00am-2:00pm and Saturday 11:00am-3:00pm. If you still haven't visited The Shoppe you are missing out on a Fort Riley **must see!** The Shoppe adds new vendors monthly and Receives new inventory weekly. Check back for new and exciting changes every month!
- Have fun and meet new people by volunteering at The Shoppe! We need volunteers to help cover the Shoppe's great hours and you can receive a \$25 gift voucher when you volunteer five times. Plus receive reimbursement for childcare anytime you volunteer. For more information contact 785-784-4231.

### **Commissary**

- The Defense Commissary Agency operates a worldwide chain of commissaries providing groceries to military personnel, retirees and their families in a safe and secure shopping environment. Authorized patrons purchase items at cost plus a 5-percent surcharge, which covers the costs of building new commissaries and modernizing existing ones. Shoppers save an average of 30 percent or more on their purchases compared to commercial prices – savings worth about \$2,700 annually for a family of four. A core military family support element, and a valued part of military pay and benefits, commissaries contribute to family readiness, enhance the quality of life for America's military and their families, and help recruit and retain the best and brightest men and women to serve their country.
- **'What's in Your Closet' campaign kicks off** Military families are being encouraged to "load up their pantries" as DeCA launches an awareness campaign this month encouraging military families to keep nonperishable foods, water and other necessities on hand for emergencies. DeCA is teaming up with the Armed Forces Emergency Services Branch of the American Red Cross to raise awareness of disaster preparedness throughout the military community. The "What's in Your Closet?" campaign is intended to get military families thinking about how prepared they are for a disaster. "It's a fact that commissaries and military families have been affected by hurricanes and typhoons at home and abroad," said Patrick Nixon, DeCA's chief executive officer and acting director. "We want to raise awareness of the need to keep emergency supplies on hand – and that shoppers can realize savings of 30 percent or more by using their commissary benefit to supply their emergency closet."
- **Tips offered for shoppers in a hurry** Here are three tips to help you improve your shopping time. First, call ahead for special orders. Your store might require 24 or 48 hours notice for

specialty cakes, fruit trays or baskets, party trays from the deli or special cuts of meat, so be sure to check by calling directly or looking on the store's pages on [www.commissaries.com](http://www.commissaries.com). Second, look for express lanes to make your checkout smooth and speedy whenever you have a few items. Third, many stores post signs indicating that military members in uniform may move to the front of the line during specified hours. Don't hesitate – you've earned it!

**Army and Air Force Exchange Services (AAFES)**

**The next Community Action Council will be held at**  
**10:00am Wednesday, 16 August, 2006.**  
***Riley's Conference Center***  
***Fort Riley, Kansas***  
***"America's Warfighting Center"***

Announcements for the next "Riley Bugle Call" are due by COB, August 10, 2006, to Bldg. 7264, and 239-9435. Email to [betsy.l.young@riley.army.mil](mailto:betsy.l.young@riley.army.mil). The CAC is shown four times daily on Channel 2 for four days following the CAC. The times are 8:30am, 12:30pm, 6:30pm, and 10:30pm.

**CAC SCHEDULE 2006**

<b>16 August</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>20 September</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>18 October</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>6 December</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>Combined November and December</b>	